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1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	930
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1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
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